

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/056,610	Applicant(s) BRAND, JOSEPH M.	
	Examiner Alonzo Chambliss	Art Unit 2814	

All Participants:

(1) Alonzo Chambliss.

(2) William Jividen.

Status of Application: Non-final rejection

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Date of Interview: 1 February 2005

Time: 12:30PM

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

112 2nd paragraph and 103

Claims discussed:

30, 32, and 40

Prior art documents discussed:

US 5,336,931 and US 5,255,157

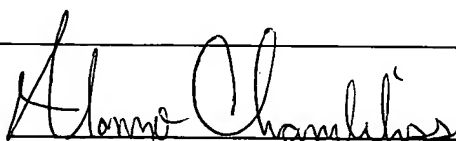
Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: applicant's attorney was called to suggest language to overcome 112 2nd paragraph rejection along with a 103 rejection based on the two US references above. The attorney agreed with the examiner's suggestion to place the application in condition for allowance. However, the examiner discovered that the claims of US 6,423,581 should be used to write a non statutory obviousness double patenting rejection. Therefore, a non-final rejection is forthcoming.